



PATENT  
Atty. Docket No. 1988480

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Daniel A. Tepei                      Examiner: Christopher W. Fulton  
Appln.. No.: 10/777,856                      Group Art Unit: 2859  
Filing Date: February 13, 2004  
For: DRYWALL CUTTING GUIDE

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to the Office Action mailed November 29,  
2004 in regard to the above-referenced application including the following:

- [X] Documents, including:
- Amendment in Response to Office Action (13 pages);
  - Return receipt postcard; and
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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January 25, 2005.

  
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[X] There are no additional fees for extra claims, which has been calculated as follows:

<u>Highest No. of</u> <u>Claims prev. pd. for</u>	<u>No. of Claims</u> <u>after Amendment</u>	<u>Extra</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Add'l Fee</u>
Total claims 20	3	0	9.00	0.00
Indep. claims 3	3	0	44.00	<u>0.00</u>
Total Additional Fee				<u>0.00</u>

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any addition fees pursuant hereto to Account No. 50-0961. A duplicate of this letter is included herewith for that purpose.

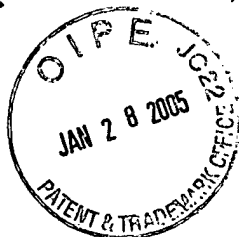
Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Applicant has reviewed the Office Action mailed November 29, 2004 in regard to the above-referenced application for patent. The following is in response thereto.

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